

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

<b>DERRICK McCRAY,</b>	:	<b>CIVIL ACTION</b>
<b>Petitioner,</b>	:	
	:	
<b>v.</b>	:	<b>NO. 20-cv-360</b>
	:	
<b>SUPERINTENDENT TICE, et al.,</b>	:	
<b>Respondents.</b>	:	

**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, upon careful and independent consideration of the petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, and after review of the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Lynne A. Sitarski, IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The Report and Recommendation is APPROVED and ADOPTED.
2. The petition for habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 is DENIED without an evidentiary hearing.
3. There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability.

BY THE COURT:

s/J. Curtis Joyner  
J. CURTIS JOYNER, J.